

### **REMARKS**

In the Action, page 2, the Examiner required restriction under PCT Rule 13.1 to a single invention of Groups I-VII covering claims 1-3 and 7-9. Claims 4-6 and 10 were not placed into a group for examination based on improper multiple dependent claim form.

Responsive to the requirement for restriction, Applicant respectfully submits new claims 11-15 drawn to a method of inhibiting a plant growth, for prosecution on the merits. Applicant respectfully requests cancellation of claims 1-10, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein or equivalents thereof. Non-elected groups, may be made the subject of divisional or continuation applications, to be filed at any time during the pendency of the present application.

It is the Applicant's belief that all of the claims are in condition for allowance and action towards that effect is respectfully requested. If there are any matters which may be resolved or clarified through a telephone interview, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the number indicated.

Respectfully submitted,

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